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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 03715.0102

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Elizabeth TOURNIER-LASSERVE et al.) Group Art Unit: 1637
Serial No.: 10/019,434) Examiner: Teresa E. STRZELECKA
Filed: May 7, 2002))) Confirmation No.: 4231
For: USE OF THE KRIT1 GENE IN THE FIELD OF ANGIOGENESIS)))
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450	

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2004, the period for response having been extended to December 27, 2004, by a request for extension of four months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims at pages 2-5.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 6.